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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated September 17, 2009, the Applicant respectfully submits the following amendments and remarks. A Petition for Extension of Time is filed concurrently herewith.

Amendment to the Claims is reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on Page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on Page 5 of this paper.